

WHEREAS, The institutions of Higher Education in South Dakota enroll in excess of 25,000 students; and,

WHEREAS, These colleges and universities prepare the bulk of the professionally trained people of South Dakota; and,

WHEREAS, The graduates of these institutions are making such an important contribution to the cultural and economic growth of the State of South Dakota; and,

WHEREAS, It is important to recognize the contributions of these institutions and their graduates; and,

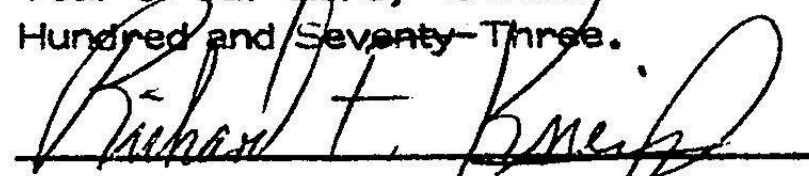
WHEREAS, The South Dakota College Public Relations Association is sponsoring the week of February 26th as Higher Education Week:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD F. KNEIP, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the week of February 26 through March 2, 1973, as

#### HIGHER EDUCATION WEEK

in the State of South Dakota and do call upon all organizations, schools, and individuals to pay tribute and honor during this designated week to all institutions of higher education and their staff members who provide the leadership and training for students attending South Dakota colleges and universities.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the 20th day of February, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-Three.



RICHARD F. KNEIP, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:



LORNA B. HERSETH, SECRETARY OF STATE

TO CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE-REPRODUCED COPY IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE ORIGINAL AND WAS MICROFILMED IN THE REGULAR COURSE OF BUSINESS, ACCORDING TO THE PROVISIONS OF SOUTH DAKOTA COMPILATION ACT. IT IS FURTHER CERTIFIED THAT THE REPRODUCING PROCESS USED FOR REPRODUCING OF THE ABOVE RECORDS WAS IN A MANNER WHICH MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE NATIONAL BUREAU OF STANDARDS FOR PERMANENT MICROPHOTODUPLICATION.

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